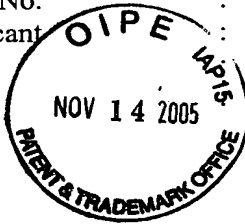


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The period for responding to the final Office action of June 23, 2005 (Paper No. 20050517) and the Advisory action of November 1, 2005 (Paper No. 20051026) expired on September 23, 2005 in the above-identified application expired on September 23, 2005. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request and petition that the response date be extended for two months, up to and including November 23, 2005. The requisite fee of \$450.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) is enclosed.

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